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Ken Marcy United States EPA Region 10 (ECL - 116) 1200 Sixth Avenue Seattle, WA 98101 COPY VIA FACSIMILE

RE: Commencement Bay Nearshore/Tideflats Superfund Site, Tacoma, Washington Thea Foss and Wheeler Osgood Waterway Request for Extension of Time to Respond to Information Request

Dear Mr. Marcy:

This letter is written to confirm that the response on behalf of Pacific Northern Oil will be completed by April 18, 1997. Thank you for your flexibility on this issue. If you have any questions or concerns, do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

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cc: Mr. George Markwood

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